
Department of Health

TITLE: Surveillance Specialist 2 (Junior Public Health Epidemiologist)

PROGRAM: Center for Epidemiology and Infectious Disease

ACCOUNT NUMBER: 2145142.02

DUTIES & RESPONSIBILITIES:

Under the direction of the State Epidemiologist, monitor and analyze H1N1 (swine) influenza surveillance data; develop daily updates of composite line list of all positive cases from various surveillance systems; produce weekly detailed surveillance reports; create daily updates on weekly Statewide Influenza Activity level, and other duties as assigned as part of HEALTH's comprehensive response to H1N1.

The funding for this position is determined by the needs, nature, and length of the RI Department of Health's response to the current H1N1 pandemic. This funding is limited to 07/30/10.

Minimum Qualifications:

Education: Possession of a Masters of Public Health degree preferred.

Experience: Such as may have been gained through employment in a position in the field of public health research and epidemiology.

Or: Any combination of education and relevant experience that shall be substantially similar to the above education and experience.

Candidates must have experience working with statistical packages. SAS experience preferred.

COMPENSATION:

Rate of Pay: \$27.68 per hour

Hours: 35 hours per week